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Photoconductive Member To An Operating  
Voltage While Isolating A Conductive Shaft**

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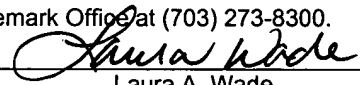
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**RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION MAILED 14 JUNE 2005**

Applicants submit the following response in reply to the Office Action mailed on the above indicated date. Reconsideration and reexamination are respectfully requested in light of the amendments and remarks below. Applicants believe that no fees should be required by the following amendments. However, if any further fees or charges are required, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge them to Deposit Account 18-1167.



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